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In re Application of Maryam ASFARI et al.						
		Application Number		F	Filed	
		10/553,676			October 17, 2005	
		INSULIN-INDUCED GENE AS THERAPEUTIC TARGET IN For DIABETES			APEUTIC TARGET IN	
		Group Art Unit 1635	Examiner VIVLEMORE,	TA		
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